

Appl. No.10/736,273
Amdt. dated January 4, 2008
Reply to Office action of December 28, 2007

REMARKS

Claims 1-17 are being resubmitted. Claims 1, 2, 4 and 8 are corrected. No claims have been canceled. No new claims are being added.

Claims 1, 2, 4 and 8 have been corrected to use double brackets in place of strikethrough for the deletions of five or fewer characters in response to the notice of non-compliant amendment. Only the corrected section of the non-compliant amendment is provided in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121.

CONCLUSION

Reconsideration and withdrawal of the Office action with respect to claims 1-17 is requested. Applicants submit that the above corrections place the amendment in compliance and request that the amendment be entered.

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In the event the examiner wishes to discuss any aspect of this response,
please contact the attorney at the telephone number identified below.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the
following fees with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit
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☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra
claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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